

**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

SEP 28 2004

PATENT

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 - EXPEDITED
PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1733**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.: 09/998,478 Confirmation No.: 6394
Applicant(s): Scott E. Black, et al.
Filed: November 30, 2001
Art Unit: 1733
Examiner: Gladys Josefina Piazza Corcoran
Title: SYSTEM, METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM
PRODUCT FOR PROVIDING CONTROL FOR HIGH
SPEED FIBER PLACEMENT

Docket No.: 38190/240126
Customer No.: 00826

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 30, 2004, please consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

Do Not
Enter
H/C
10/24/04